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FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF JUNE 2 LETTER FROM SPANISH PERMREP
TO SYG, CIRCULATED AS UNGA DOC A/10104:

QUOTE:

WITH REFERENCE TO THE STATEMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MOROCCO
DATED 26 MAY 1975, CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT A/10097, AND ACTING UPON
INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED, I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM YOU THAT THE
SPANISH GOVERNMENT REITERATES EVERYTHING WHICH WAS STATED IN
MY LETTER TO YOU ON 23 MAY, CIRCULATED AS DOCUMENT A/10095.

AS WAS CLEARLY ESTABLISHED IN THAT LETTER, WHICH CONFIRMED
EARLIER LETTERS ON THE SUBJECT, THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT IS FIRMLY
RESOLOVED TO CARRY OUT THE DECOLONIZATION PROCESS IN THE SAHARA
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES AND PROVISIONS OF THE CHARTER
OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE WRITINGS ON THE SUBJECT WHICH ARE
IN AGREEMENT WITH THOSE PRINCIPLES AND PROVISIONS.

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IT IS A FACT, HOWEVER, THAT IN RECENT WEEKS SERIOUS INCIDENTS

HAVE OCCURRED WHICH HAVE BEEN FOMENTED FROM OUTSIDE THE TERRITORY AND HAVE DISTURBED THE PEACE OF WESTERN SAHARA. THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT EXPRESSES THE HOPE THAT THESE DISORDERS WILL CEASE AND THAT ALL STATE MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS (IN PARTICULAR THOSE BORDERING ON THE TERRITORY) WILL, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, HELP TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND SECURITY SO THAT THE ABOVE-MENTIONED PROCESS OF DECOLONIZATION MAY BE PEACEFULLY COMPLETED. THIS OBLIGATION IS INCUMBENT PARTICULARLY ON THE PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

THUS, IF VIOLENCE OCCURS AGAIN, THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT, AS INDICATED IN ITS STATEMENT OF 23 MAY 1975, RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CALL ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO CONSIDER THE MATTER, IF THE GOVERNMENT DEEMS IT NECESSARY, AND ALSO TO TAKE THE DECISIONS IT HAS ANNOUNCED WITHOUT THEREBY CEASING ITS CO-OPERATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE ATTAINMENT OF ITS ENDS.

I SHOULD BE GREATFUL IF YOU WOULD CIRCULATE THIS NOTE AS A GENERAL ASSEMBLY DOCUMENT IN CONNEXION WITH ITEM 23 OF THE PRELIMINARY LIST OF ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE THIRTIETH SESSION.
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